**Homework Week 2 Term 1 2013 Due 14th February**

**Spelling**

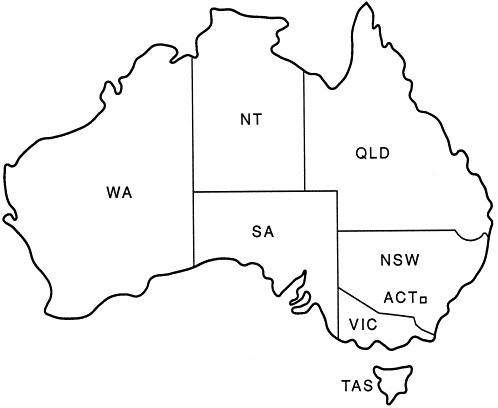
Indigenous, convicts, Australia, culture, rights, conditions, migration, colonies, different, aboriginal

You must write out your spelling words in 3 ruled columns in your homework book. The first column is for writing them out, the second column you should use for Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check. You need to get an adult to test you on your spelling words and write these in the third column.

**Reading**

You must read for 15 – 20 minutes each night and record this on your reading sheet at the back of your homework book. This needs to be signed each time you read. We expect 10 reading entries during for this homework. You should have an adult listen to you read once a week if you are an independent reader and more regularly if you are not.

**Writing and I.S.**

Imagine you were one of the people on board the many ships that arrived in Australia in 1788. Write a diary entry no more than 15 lines detailing your experience as a white person arriving in Australia and seeing the aboriginal people for the first time. What would you have been thinking? Describe your thoughts and feelings.

Using a map like the one on the first page, place the names of some of the British colonies that were established in Australia. You will need to use the internet to find this information but remember to safely surf the net and get a parent to help you if necessary. Paste the map into your homework book. (You can print the one included on the first page if you wish.)

**Maths**

Each fortnight we will ask you to practice 2 of the times tables. Write out the 3 and 6 times tables twice each in your book. You should draw columns for them. If you know these well, write them out up to 20 and as an extra challenge you can write them in reverse, that is as division sums.

1. Donna made 5 posters.  
   Elizabeth made twice as many posters as Donna.  
   They hung up 7 posters.  
   How many posters do they have left?
2. Greta had 12 candy bars and Sean had 4 candy bars.  
   Greta ate 1 of her candy bars and gave 3 of her candy bars to Sean.   
   How many more candy bars did Greta have than Sean then?
3. Jordan found one seashell at the beach on Monday.  
   She found 2 seashells the next day.  
   If Jordan finds 2 seashells every day after that,  
   how many days until Jordan has 21 seashells altogether?
4. Ben had 18 marbles and John had 17 marbles.  
   Ben gave half of his marbles to John.  
   How many more marbles did John have than Ben then?
5. Maddie, Luisa, and Amy counted their books.  
   Maddie had 15 books.  
   Luisa had 18 books.  
   Together, Amy and Luisa had 9 more books than Maddie.  
   How many books did Amy have?
6. Tina had a large collection of beanie babies.  
   She gave 8 beanie babies to her cousin.  
   She gave half that amount to her sister.  
   She gave 36 beanie babies to needy children.  
   She kept 12 for herself.  
   How many beanie babies were in Tina's collection at first?